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TAGS: EINV, EGEN, ECOSOC, UN

SUBJECT: ECOSOC WORKING GROUP ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS

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1. YOU WILL HAVE RECEIVED SEPTTEL REPORT OF NEW POSITION  
TAKEN BY CARTER ADMINISTRATION SUPPORTING HOME COUNTRY  
CRIMINALIZATION OF BRIBERY OF FOREIGN OFFICIALS ON GENERAL  
LINES OF PROXMIRE BILL (S. 305). WE WOULD LIKE YOU TO  
FOLLOW UP ON CONVERSATIONS THE SECRETARY AND TODMAN HAD  
WITH FONSEC AND MEX PRESIDENT'S SPECIAL ADVISER RAFAEL  
IZQUIERDO IN WHICH USG EXPRESSED DESIRE TO WORK CLOSELY  
WITH GOM ON AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT TO CONTROL ILLICIT  
PAYMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONS.  
YOU SHOULD ADVISE THEM THAT USG IS PREPARING A DRAFT TREATY  
FOR DISCUSSION AT MARCH 28 MEETING OF ECOSOC WORKING GROUP

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ON CORRUPT PRACTICES THAT WILL INCLUDE APPROPRIATE PRO-  
VISIONS FOR HOME COUNTRY CRIMINAL SANCTIONS AS WELL AS  
PROPOSALS FOR DISCLOSURE AND EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION  
(REFTEL).

2. WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW CURRENT GOM ATTITUDE TOWARDS  
AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS, THE

NAMES OF THE DELEGATES IT WILL SEND TO NEW YORK FOR THE  
MARCH 28 MEETING, AND WHETHER MEXDEL WILL BE PREPARED  
TO PARTICIPATE IN SUBSTANTIVE WORK LOOKING TOWARDS THE  
ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT. WE WOULD BE  
PLEASED TO HAVE ANY SPECIFIC IDEAS GOM MAY DEVELOP AS  
TO CONTENT OF SUCH AN AGREEMENT.  
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